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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJ: FORMAL NOTIFICATION OF APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMAN OF PMAC

REF: ADDIS ABABA 888

1. MORNING FEB 14, WE RECEIVED COPY OF MOFA CIRCULAR NOTE
INFORMING ALL MISSIONS IN ADDIS THAT THE CONGRESS OF THE
PROVISIONAL MILITARY ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL (PMAC) APPINTED
LT. COL . MENGISTU HAILE-MARIAM AS CHAIRMAN OF PMAC AND LT.
COL. ATNAFU ABATE AS DEPUTY CHAIRMAN OF PMAC AT MEETING FEB 11.

2. WE DO NOT KNOW DEPT'S CUSTOMARY PROCEDURE IN CASES OF
THIS KIND, I.E., WHETHER IT IS PRACTICE TO ACKNOWLEDGE
APPOINTMENT OF NEW HEAD OF STATE IN SOME FORM OF WRITTEN
OR ORAL COMMUNICATION AND TO OFFER GOOD WISHES. OUR FILES
DO NOT CLEARLY TELL US HWAT HAPPENED IN NOVEMEBER 1974 WHEN
TEFERI BANTE WAS APPOINTED CHAIRMAN UNDER RATHER
SIMILAR CIRCUMSTANCES . AS DEPT AWARE, I HAVE REQUEST IN
TO CALL ON MENGISTU WHILE SEELYE IS HERE . IF ANYTHING
IS CONTEMPLATED, IT COULD PERHAPS BE TAKEN CARE OF AT
THAT TIME, ASSUMING APPOINTMENT IS GRANTED.
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